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REMARKS

Claims 1-35 have been cancelled and Claims 36-83 added. Support for the added claims can be found in the specification and claims as filed, for example Claim 36 includes features which were not recited in the original claims and support is found in the specification on page 4, lines 21-27 which includes multiple pathogens; page 12, lines 6-9 for the various antibody methods; page 13, lines 14-17 for multiple antigens/pathogen; and page 15, lines 8-14 for somatic cells; different permutations of the test are found on page 17, lines 1-30; and support for two or more pathogens can be found on page 18, lines 6-18. Support for the added features in Claim 79 is on page 4, line 29 through page 5, line 7; and page 18, lines 6-18. No new matter has been added herewith.

Conclusion

Should there be any questions which would delay the prompt examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number appearing below. Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

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